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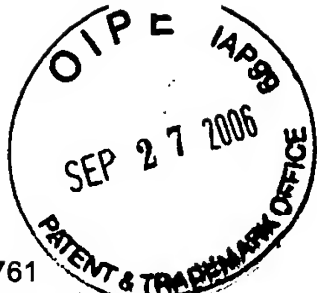
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This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 29, 2006. A response to Office Action had previously been filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office on August 17, 2006. To address the concerns of the Legal Instruments Examiner and the Examiner assigned to this case, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification none at this time.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Submission of Formal Drawings - none at this time.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.